



PAT CHARLESWORTH

PEOPLE WITH LEARNING DISABILITIES



I'm Pat Charlesworth. I'm 70 years old and living with a learning disability. I want to be on the Representative Body because Learning Disability England is a national organisation and it's extremely important for the voice of people with learning disabilities to be heard, for family carers' voices to be heard and organisations that work with and support people with learning disabilities. And it's important that the organisations are supporting people with learning disabilities.

Being a national organisation it's got lots of people and there are lots of voices and it's very, very important that people with learning disabilities and family carers' voices are heard.

Being 70 years old I've got a lot of experience of life, a lot of experience of being a person with a learning disability and I think that I would be very good at representing people with learning disabilities. I was a member of the National Forum. I've also been a chair of the London Regional Forum. I've been part of the National Valuing Families Forum too. I've been chair of Hackney People First which is an organisation that works with and



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supports people with learning disabilities. I've also been a part of two Partnership Boards and I am Co-Chair of Haringey Partnership Board.

People should vote for me because I think I'm the best person for the job. I have lots of experience. I've been on the Steering Group for Learning Disability England. Being part of the Steering Group means I've got to know about a lot of things all over England. I was a carer for my partner.

I am caring and passionate about the lives of people with learning disabilities and for them to reach their full potential.

Please vote for me!



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